



General Assembly

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***Raised Bill No. 642***

LCO No. 3021

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Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:  
(JUD)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE AVAILABILITY OF VICTIM ADVOCATES  
IN COURTHOUSES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2008*) The Judicial Department
- 2 shall assign at least one victim advocate to each judicial district
- 3 courthouse and geographical area courthouse.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2008</i>	New section
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***Statement of Purpose:***

To require the assignment of at least one victim advocate to each judicial district courthouse and geographical area courthouse.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*